

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 2808 - SB 2923**

February 8, 2012

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Adds language authorizing either party in a workers' compensation dispute to file suit in the county in which the employee resided at the time of the injury rather than the county in which the employee resides.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, there will be no fiscal impact on the Department.
- Disputes are first handled by the benefit review conference process provided by the Division of Workers' Compensation. Parties may file civil action in circuit or chancery court. A not significant impact from a shift of cases from one county to another.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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